

MORGAN COUNTY

KENTUCKY POSTSECONDARY EDUCATION PROFILE 2008-10



General Population Data			
•	County	Ку	US
Total population	13,948	4,041,769	281,421,906
Median household income	\$21,869	\$33,672	\$41,994
Per capita income	\$12,657	\$18,093	\$21,587
Living in poverty	27.2 %	15.8 %	12.4 %
Eligible for Medicaid	25.9 %	17.6 %	na
Without medical insurance	18.1 %	13.3 %	14.2 %
Registered voters who voted in 2004 general election	57.6 %	64.7 %	70.9 %
Unemployment rate	8.8 %	5.7 %	4.6 %
Use the Internet at home	55.7 %	64.0 %	na

Highest Level of Education

	County	Ку	US
Less than a high school diploma or equivalent	43.6 %	25.9 %	19.6 %
High school diploma or equivalent	32.7 %	33.6 %	28.6 %
Some college but no degree	13.3 %	18.5 %	21.0 %
Associate's degree	2.6 %	4.9 %	6.3 %
Bachelor's degree or higher	7.7 %	17.1 %	24.4 %

Educational Pipeline

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High school graduates in 2006	143
In-state college-going rate for 2006 high school graduates	57.3 %
Kentucky Adult Education enrollments in 2006-07	518
GEDs awarded in 2006-07	35
Students entering postsecondary education in summer or fall 2006	149
Students earning an associate's degree in 2006-07	17
Students earning a bachelor's degree in 2006-07	40
Students earning a bachelor's degree in science, technology, engineering, or mathematics in 2006-07	13
Students earning a graduate or professional degree in 2006-07	18
Students enrolled in distance learning college courses in fall 2006	140
Students enrolled in Kentucky Virtual Campus courses in fall 2006	21
Bachelor's degree six-year graduation rate for 2006	34.7 %
Number of additional bachelor's degree holders needed in this county to match the national average	1,553

College Readiness

	County	Ку
Average ACT score	19.7	20.6
% entering college with developmental needs in one or more subjects	65.1 %	45.9 %
% entering college with developmental needs in mathematics	55.4 %	35.4 %
% entering college with developmental needs in English	50.6 %	28.6 %

Employment by Sector

	County	Ку
Agriculture, mining, & other natural resources	7	28,251
Manufacturing & construction	474	346,324
Retail, wholesale, transportation, & utilities	524	373,216
Finance, professional, & business services	318	258,647
Health & educational services	273	215,834
Government & public education	1,127	293,968
Leisure, hospitality, & other services	243	209,629

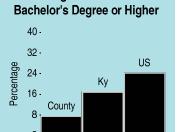
Undergraduates & Alumni

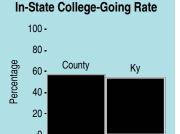
	Enrollment	Alumni
University of Kentucky	16	129
University of Louisville	2	12
Eastern Kentucky University	5	86
Kentucky State University	1	0
Morehead State University	419	793
Murray State University	0	1
Northern Kentucky University	1	4
Western Kentucky University	0	3
KCTCS	341	225
Independent colleges & universities	11	80
Total from this county	796	1,333

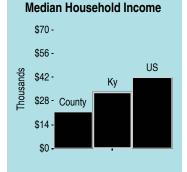
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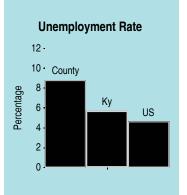
	Dollars	Awards
Federal Pell awards	\$1,032,174	351
Federal loans	\$351,846	58
Kentucky Ed. Excellence Scholarships (KEES)	\$298,711	211
Kentucky need-based grants	\$353,024	210

KEY FACTS Percentage of Adults With a









Sources: US Census 2000, US Department of Education, Kentucky Department of Education, Kentucky Higher Education Assistance Authority, Kentucky Office of Employment and Training, ACT, Inc, Kentucky State Board of Elections, Dave Leip's Atlas of U.S. Presidential Elections, US Census Small Area Health Insurance Estimates Program, Kentucky Department for Medicaid Services, ConnectKentucky, Kentucky Adult Education, and the Council on Postsecondary Education. Complete descriptions of sources and methodologies may be found in the technical notes at the end of the 2008-10 County Profiles or through the Kentucky Postsecondary Education Data Portal at the Web address below.



